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## CONTENTS OF A REPORT TO THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEES ON AUDIT FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

In accordance with the Legislative Audit and Fiscal Review Committee request for information on a way to inform the Appropriations Committees of findings and recommendations contained in agency audit reports, the following proposal was developed by the Legislative Council staff in consultation with the State Auditor's office.

The State Auditor's office would prepare a report to be presented to each Appropriations Committee at the beginning of the session. The report would be a compilation of all agency and institution significant audit findings and recommendations contained in the audit reports and performance audits presented to the Legislative Audit and Fiscal Review Committee during the previous interim. If either Appropriations Committee indicated a need for more information on a particular finding or recommendation, the committee could request the State Auditor's office to either provide copies of the individual audit report to the committee or to present more detailed information on that issue to the committee.